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In re Application of: Timothy SCHWEIKERT	:
et al.	:
Serial No.: 09/585,149	: Group Art Unit: 3742
Filed: 1 June 2000	: Examiner: Vinod D. Patel
For: MULTILUMEN CATHETER ASSEMBLY AND METHODS FOR MAKING AND INSERTING SAME	: Old Attorney Docket No.: 8617-81
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1st PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+\$140		+\$280	
					TOTAL		TOTAL	

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A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.

If the filing of any paper during the prosecution of this application requires an extension of time in order for the paper to be timely filed, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for the appropriate extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated 13 January 2003, please amend the above- identified
application as follows, without prejudice:

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please amend sheet 6 of the drawings to move Figs.
7D, 8A, and 8B from sheet 6 to new sheet 7, and to space Figs. 7A, 7B, 7C farther apart on sheet 6.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 20-23; amend claims 24, 25, and 28-30; and add new claims 36-42 as
follows: